

Monitoring SQL Server instances with TLS 1.2 enabled

Requirements:

1. The default SQL Server ODBC driver should be installed on the monitored machine where TLS 1.2 is enabled.
2. FIPS should be enabled on the monitored machine where TLS1.2 is enabled. This is to be done using the following steps:
 - a. Press Windows Key+R to open the Run dialog.
 - b. Type `gpedit.msc` into the Run dialog box (without the quotes) and press Enter.
 - c. In the Group Policy Editor, navigate to **Computer Configuration > Windows Settings > Security Settings > Local Policies > Security Options**.
 - d. Double-click the **System cryptography: Use FIPS compliant algorithms for encryption, hashing, and signing** setting in the right pane.
 - e. Set the setting to **Enabled**, and then click **OK**.